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REFERENCE TO: MISSION 1109

STORAGE AREA UNDER CONSTRUCTION
GUSINOYE OZERO, USSR

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

IDENTIFICATION OF A LARGE STORAGE AREA
UNDER CONSTRUCTION IS EVIDENCE OF
CONTINUED EXPANSION OF SOVIET LOGISTICAL
INSTALLATIONS IN THE TRANSBAIKAL MILITARY
DISTRICT NEAR THE USSR-MONGOLIA BORDER.

2. LOCATION:

ONE NM WEST OF GUSINOYE OZERO (LAKE
GUSINOYE) AND 42 NM NORTH OF THE USSR-
MONGOLIA BORDER AT 51-06-00N 106-14-00E.

3. REMARKS:

CONSTRUCTION OF THIS NEWLY IDENTIFIED IN-
STALLATION BEGAN SOMETIME SINCE DEC 68
THE CURRENT MISSION PRO-
VIDES THE FIRST COVERAGE OF THIS AREA SINCE
THAT TIME AND REVEALS 42 LARGE STORAGE
BUILDINGS THAT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED. AN
ADDITIONAL 42 PROBABLE BUILDING EXCAVATIONS
ARE OBSERVED WITHIN THE SAME DOUBLE-SECURED
INSTALLATION. JUST SOUTH OF THIS AREA ARE

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3. REMARKS: (cont)

16 MORE POSSIBLE BUILDING EXCAVATIONS
AND TWO BUILDINGS. A SUPPORT AREA STILL
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AND A POSSIBLE TENT
CAMP ARE ALSO OBSERVED.
GUSINOYE OZERO STORAGE AREA IS APPROXIMATELY
1 NM FROM A RAIL LINE WHICH RUNS FROM
ULAN-UDE THROUGH MONGOLIA AND INTO CHINA.
WHEN COMPLETE, THIS INSTALLATION MAY
PROVIDE LOGISTICAL SUPPORT FOR TWO MAJOR
MILITARY INSTALLATIONS, BOTH OF WHICH
ARE APPROXIMATELY 40 NM TO THE SOUTH AND
NEAR THE USSR-MONGOLIA BORDER AT NAUSHKI
AND KYAKHTA. EXPANSION ACTIVITY WHICH WAS
FIRST NOTED AT KYAKHTA ARMY BARRACKS AL-1
IN 1966 NOW APPEARS TO BE
ESSENTIALLY COMPLETE. RECENT CONSTRUCTION
ACTIVITY AT NAUSHKI ARMY BARRACKS AL 1
WILL QUADRUPE THE SIZE
OF THAT INSTALLATION WHEN COMPLETE.

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4. MISSION READOUT: THIS DOUBLE-SECURED STORAGE AREA CONTAINS 42 LARGE STORAGE BUILDINGS AND 42 PROBABLE BUILDING EXCAVATIONS. A SECOND STORAGE AREA, APPROXIMATELY 0.5 NM TO THE SOUTH CONTAINS 16 POSSIBLE BUILDING EXCAVATIONS AND 2 BUILDINGS. A SUPPORT AREA, BETWEEN THE TWO STORAGE AREAS CONTAINS 14 BUILDINGS IN VARYING STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION AND A POSSIBLE TENT CAMP.

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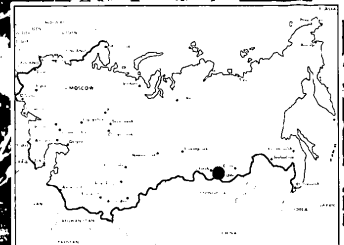
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STORAGE BUILDINGS
PROBABLE BUILDING FOUNDATIONS



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PROBABLE TENT CAMP

SUPPORT AREA

USSR-MONGOLIA BORDER
42NM

0 500 1000 METERS (APPROX)

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